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Message: Dear Examiner Hoi:

As requested, attached is a copy of the Information Disclosure Statement that was filed with the Patent Office on August 22, 2001. Also enclosed are the two cited references we did not submit previously because they were submitted in the parent case.

Please let me know if you need any further assistance.

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant submits the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449, copies of which are enclosed.

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Under 35 U.S.C. § 120, this application relies on the earlier filing date of U.S.S.N. 09/198,874, filed November 24, 1998. The references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were submitted to and/or cited by the Office in the prior application and, therefore, are not provided in this application.



This statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office action on the merits

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Respectfully submitted,

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